

Grace Episcopal Church

Daily Bible Reading – Read the Bible in One Year

Reflection Class: **Sunday, July 6, 2014;** 9:10 am – 9:40 am, Grace Parish Hall

Thoughts, Reflections, Insights, Questions of readings to date: Day 180 – Day 186

Prayer

Wonderful Counselor, please whisper wisdom in my ears today.

Mighty God, show yourself powerful in my life.

Everlasting Father, guide me with words of wisdom today.

And Prince of Peace, bring peace not only to this world, but to the areas of conflict and disquiet in my soul. Amen

The NRSV Daily Bible, p. 802

Readings :

29 June 2014 | Day 180 | Song of Solomon 1:1 – 4:16

30 June 2014 | Day 181 | Song of Solomon 5:1 – 8:14

1 July 2014 | Day 182 | **Isaiah** 1:1 – 4:6

2 July 2014 | Day 183 | Isaiah 5:1 – 7:25

3 July 2014 | Day 184 | Isaiah 8:1 – 11:16

4 July 2014 | Day 185 | Isaiah 12:1 – 16:14

5 July 2014 | Day 186 | Isaiah 17:1 – 23:18

Stream or Thoughts on the text:

Day 180: The Song is about how glorious it is to be in love from both a woman's and man's view as we over hear a conversation between lovers. They delight in everything about the other and describe them in terms of all of the five senses and the world around them. The song invites all who read it to participate in the wonder of love.

Day 181: Eat, friends, drink, and be drunk in love. Love poem continues between woman and man.

Day 182: Isaiah, from Zion, ~ 740 BC under rule of Ahaz & Hezekiah, written in parts, Exile

Day 183: Is. calls judgment of Israel through the conquering of the land by Assyrians

Day 184: Is. names his son "Impending Doom" and the restoration of David's throne.

Day 185: Is. thanksgiving, calling nations to God's rule, Babylon, Moab

Day 186: Is. calls the judgment of Damascus, Egypt, the sea, Dumah, Arabia, valley, Tyre. Lots of wailing.

Prayer

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Thoughts from others:

Text: The NRSV Daily Bible, HarperCollins Publishers, © 2012, ISBN 9780062008466 or Bible of your choice. Notebook, Journal, Blog, or Notes in Bible.

Dave's notes, reflection, background, etc. at blog site <http://gracefullbible.com>

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